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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

Applicant provides the present Amendment and Request for Reconsideration to address the issues raised in the Office Action mailed March 9, 2005.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the claims are indicated in a listing of the claims provided for the Examiner's convenience beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.